

## Message Text

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SUBJ: KINSHASA STOP-OVER OF PRC VICE PREMIER

REF: PEKING 2044

1. ACCORDING TO KINSHASA DAILY ELIMA OF AUG 20, CHINESE VICE-PREMIER MADAM CHEN MU-HUA MADE A BRIEF (50 MINUTE) STOPOVER AT KINSHASA'S NDJILI AIRPORT ON SUNDAY, AUG 20 BEFORE TRAVELING ON TO BUJUMBURA TO CONTINUE HER AFRICAN TOUR. THE VICE-PREMIER WAS MET AT THE AIRPORT BY STATE COMMISSIONER FOR TERRITORIAL ADMINISTRATION ENGULU, SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS IDZUMBUIR, AND PRC CHARGE LIU HSI-LIN.

2. NO REASONS FOR THE STOP-OVER HAS BEEN GIVEN, ALTHOUGH ZAIRIAN PRESS AGENCY (AZAP) BULLETIN ON AUG 17 DESCRIBED IT AS A "TECHNICAL STOP". THE ZAIRIAN NEWS MEDIA HAVE TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF THE VICE-PREMIER'S STOP TO AGAIN DESCRIBE THE WARMTH AND EXEMPLARY NATURE OF SINO-ZAIRIAN RELATIONS AND TO RECOUNT THE RECENT VISITS TO ZAIRE OF OTHER PRC OFFICIALS.  
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